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In re application of

Francois GIRARD

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Group 2836

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DEVICE FOR PROTECTING AGAINST VOLTAGE SURGES

## AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

November 30, 2004

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed August 30, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.